

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS - OPERATING MANUAL

Models: **AK150LS,
AK200LS, AK300LS**



Exhaust Fan

READ AND SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

READ CAREFULLY BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO ASSEMBLE, INSTALL, OPERATE OR MAINTAIN THE PRODUCT DESCRIBED. PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS BY OBSERVING ALL SAFETY INFORMATION. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH INSTRUCTIONS COULD RESULT IN PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR PROPERTY DAMAGE!

RETAIN INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.

GENERAL SAFETY INFORMATION

When using electrical appliances, basic precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock and injury to person, including the following:

1. Read all instructions before installing or using exhaust fan.
2. Use this unit only in the manner intended by the manufacturer. If you have questions, contact the manufacturer.
3. Before servicing or cleaning the unit, switch power off at service panel and lock the service disconnecting means to prevent power from being switched on accidentally. When the service disconnecting means cannot be locked, securely fasten a prominent warning device, such as a tag, to the service panel.
4. Installation work and electrical wiring must be done by qualified person(s) in accordance with all applicable codes and standards, including fire-related construction.
5. Sufficient air is needed for proper combustion and exhausting of gases through the flue (chimney) of fuel burning equipment to prevent back drafting. Follow the heating equipment manufacturer's guideline and safety standards such as those published by the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) and the American Society for Heating, Refrigeration, and Air Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE), and the local code authorities.
6. When cutting or drilling into wall or ceiling, do not damage electrical wiring and other hidden utilities.
7. Ducted fans must always be vented to the outdoors.
8. This unit must be grounded.
9. To avoid motor bearing damage and noisy and/or unbalanced impellers, keep drywall spray, construction dust, etc. off power unit.
10. Acceptable for use over a bathtub or shower when installed in a GFCI protected branch circuit.
11. NEVER place a switch where it can be reached from a tub or shower.

WARNING: TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE, ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT USE THIS FAN WITH ANY SOLID-STATE SPEED CONTROL DEVICE.

WARNING: DO NOT USE IN KITCHENS

CAUTION: FOR GENERAL VENTILATING USE ONLY. DO NOT USE TO EXHAUST HAZARDOUS OR EXPLOSIVE MATERIALS AND VAPORS.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

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SECTION 1

Preparing the Exhaust Fan

1. Unpack fan from the carton and confirm that all pieces are present. In addition to the exhaust fan you should have:
 - 1 - Grill
 - 1 - Damper Assembly (attached)
 - 2 - Mounting Brackets
 - 1 - Mounting Flange
 - 4 - 10-32 Nuts
 - 1 - Instruction/Safety Sheet
2. Choose the location for your fan. To ensure the best air and sound performance, it is recommended that the length of ducting and the number of elbows be kept to a minimum, and that insulated hard ducting be used. Larger duct sizes will reduce noise and airflow restrictions. This fan will require at least 10" of clearance in the ceiling or wall, and will mount through drywall up to 3/4" thick.
3. Select the most convenient electrical knockout and remove using a straight-blade screw driver (**Figure 1**).

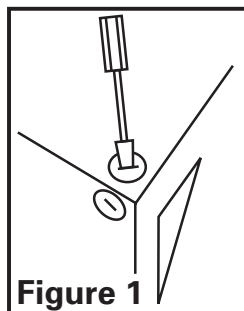


Figure 1

SECTION 2

Mounting the Housing

- 1a. **Installation on 2x4 Joists on 16" Centers:** Install the mounting brackets through the second set of slots on the fan housing and secure in place with the four included #10-32 nuts as shown. Center the fan housing between the joists and secure the mounting brackets with screws or nails (not included) to the joist. Adjust the height of the housing so that it is flush with the finished ceiling by loosening the mounting bracket nuts and sliding the housing up or down on the bracket. Fully tighten all four nuts to secure the housing in place (**Figure 2**).

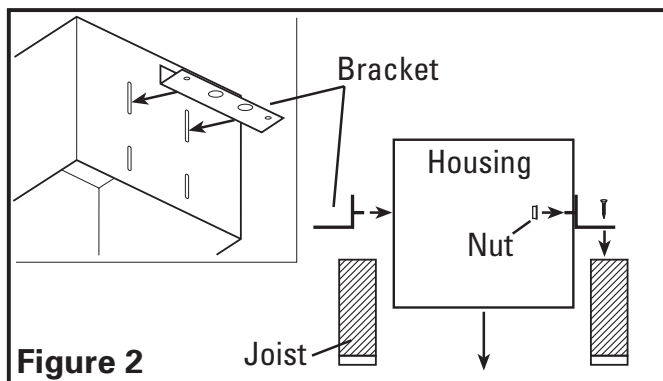


Figure 2

- 1b. **Installation on 2x6 Joists on 16" Centers:** Install the mounting brackets through the second set of slots on the fan housing and secure in place with the four included #10-32 nuts as shown. Center the fan housing between the joists and secure the mounting brackets with screws or nails (not included) to the joist. Adjust the height of the housing so that it is flush with the finished ceiling by loosening the mounting bracket nuts and sliding the housing up or down on the bracket. Fully tighten all four nuts to secure the housing in place (**Figure 3**).

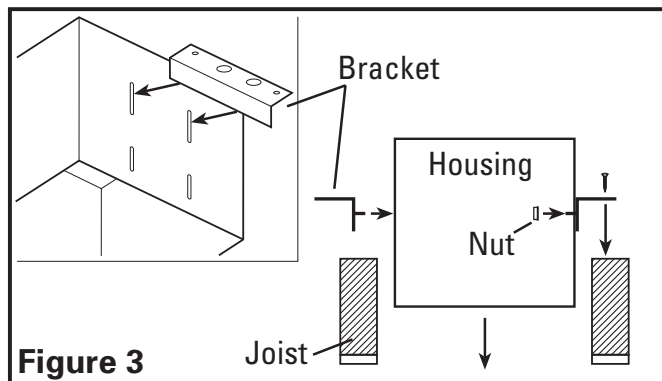


Figure 3

- 1c. **Installation on 24" Centers Joists or Larger than 2x6 Joists on 16" Centers:** Install two - 2x4 headers (not included) between the joists (**Figure 4**). Install the mounting brackets through the top set of slots on the fan housing and secure in place with the four included #10-32 nuts as shown. Position the fan housing between the headers and secure the mounting brackets with screws or nails (not included) to the header. Adjust the height of the housing so that it is flush with the finished ceiling by loosening the mounting bracket nuts and sliding the housing up or down on the bracket. Fully tighten all four nuts to secure the housing in place (**Figure 5**).

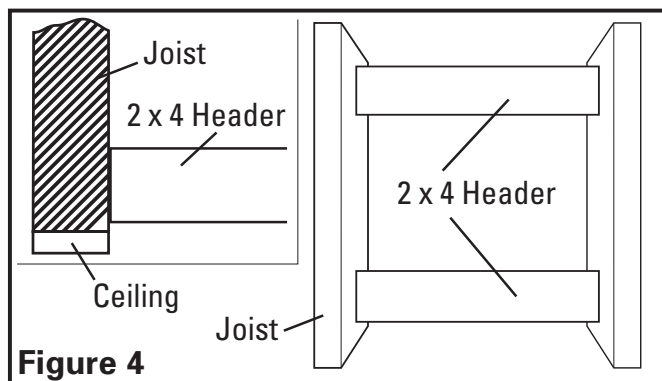


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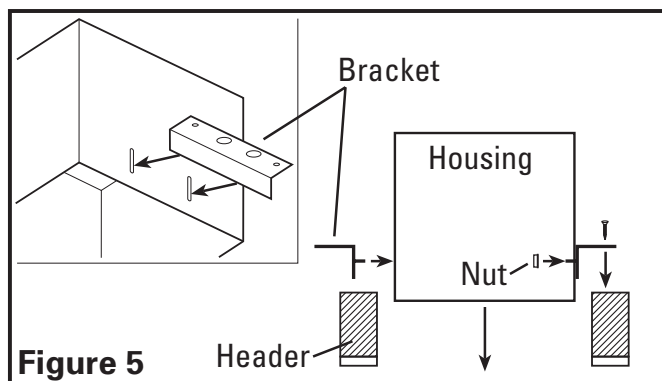


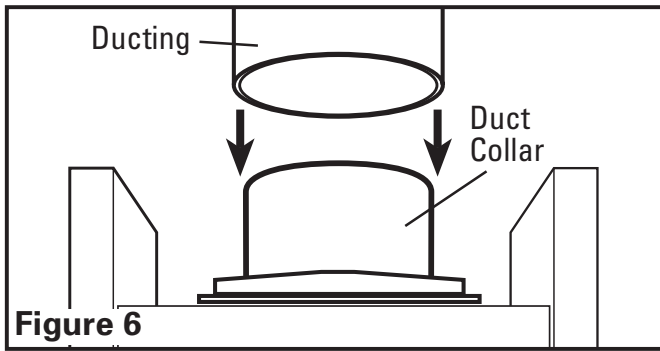
Figure 5

SECTION 3

Ducting

CAUTION: ALL DUCTING MUST COMPLY WITH LOCAL AND NATIONAL BUILDING CODES.

1. Connect the ducting to the fan's duct collar (**Figure 6**). Secure in place using tape or screw clamp. Always duct the fan to the outside through a wall or roof cap.



SECTION 4

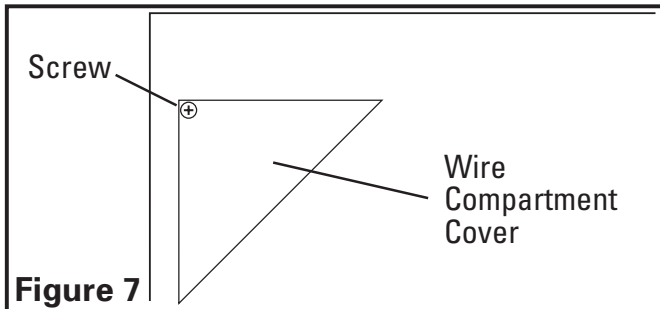
Wiring

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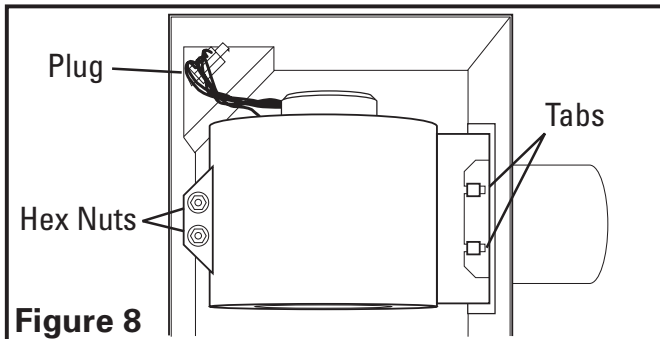
CAUTION: ALL ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS MUST BE MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOCAL CODES, ORDINANCES, OR NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE. IF YOU ARE UNFAMILIAR WITH METHODS OF INSTALLING ELECTRICAL WIRING, SECURE THE SERVICES OF A QUALIFIED ELECTRICIAN.

NOTE: This unit includes a side access panel for wiring that does not require the removal of the fan's blower assembly. If you choose to wire the unit from the inside, you will need to remove the blower assembly and internal wiring compartment. Both methods are equally effective.

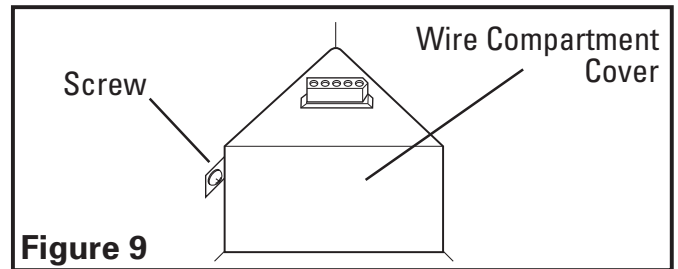
- 1a. **External Wire Compartment:** Remove the wire compartment cover screw and place cover in a secure place (**Figure 7**).



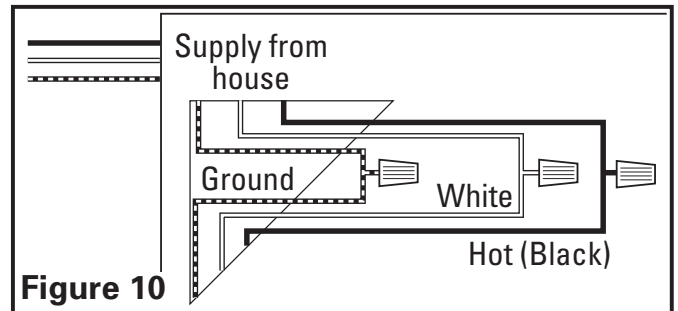
- 1b. **Internal Wire Compartment:** Using a 7/16" socket, remove the two hex nuts holding the blower assembly in place. Lift up on the assembly and slide it out of the tabs on the housing (**Figure 8**). Remove the wire compartment cover screw and place the cover in a secure place (**Figure 9**).



NOTE: If the fan motor plug is connected to the fan housing receptacle, unplug so the blower assembly can be completely removed.



2. Run wiring from an approved wall switch carrying the appropriate rating. One neutral (white), one ground (green or bare copper), and one hot (black lead connected to the switch). Secure the electrical wires to the housing with an approved electrical connector. Make sure you leave enough wiring in the box to make the connection to the fan's receptacle.
3. From where you have chosen to access the fan's junction box, connect the white wire from the house to the white wire from the fan's receptacle. Connect the black wire from the wall switch to the black wire from the fan's receptacle. Connect the ground wire from the house to the green wire from the fan housing (**Figure 10**). Use approved methods for all connections.



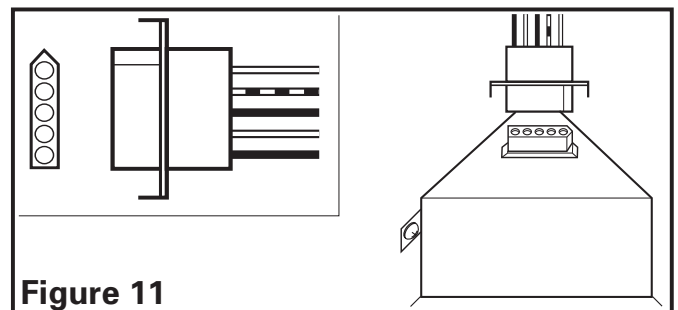
NOTE: The fan's receptacle wires might need to be pulled outside compartment for connection. Only pull the three loose wires outside of compartment. Additional wires will be present.

4. Carefully tuck wire back inside wire compartment and replace wire compartment cover securing with the screw that was removed earlier.

SECTION 5

Completing the Installation

1. If the fan's blower assembly was removed during the wiring process, reinstall the blower by reversing the directions in **Section 4 (Wiring), Step 1b**.
2. Plug the fan's quick connect motor cord into the receptacle. This cord will only fit one way into the receptacle (**Figure 11**).



3. Install the ceiling mounting flange to cover any gaps which exist between the housing and the finished ceiling. Line up the slots in the ceiling mounting flange with the screws on the inside of the

housing and press flange in place so it is tight against the ceiling. Tighten both screws inside the housing. Install drywall screws (not included) through the holes in the flange and into the ceiling. Install as many drywall screws needed to ensure the flange fits tightly against the ceiling (**Figure 12**).

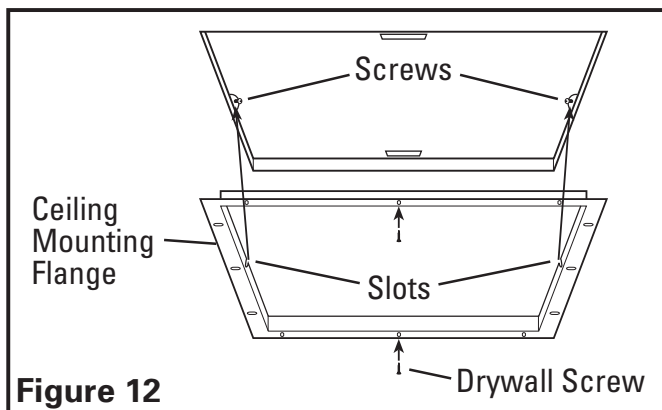


Figure 12

4. Install the grill by squeezing the two ends of the springs together and installing them up into the slots on the fan's housing. Push the grill up into position (**Figure 13**).

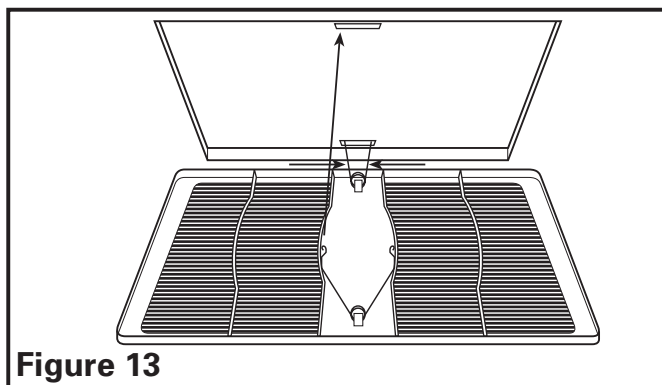


Figure 13

5. Restore power and test your installation.

SECTION 6

Use and Care

CAUTION: MAKE SURE POWER IS SWITCHED OFF AT SERVICE PANEL BEFORE SERVICING THE UNIT.

1. **Cleaning the Grill:** Remove grill and use a mild detergent, such as dishwashing liquid, and dry with a soft cloth. NEVER USE ANY ABRASIVE PADS OR SCOURING POWDERS. Completely dry grill before reinstalling. Refer to instructions in **Section 5 Finishing the Installation**, to reinstall grill.
2. **Cleaning the Fan Assembly:** Wipe all parts with a dry cloth or gently vacuum the fan. NEVER IMMERSE ELECTRICAL PARTS IN WATER.

Troubleshooting Guide

Trouble	Probable Cause	Suggested Remedy
1. Fan does not operate when the switch is on.	1a. A fuse may be blown or a circuit tripped. 1b. Connector plug from motor is not plugged in. 1c. Wiring is not connected properly. 1d. Motor has stopped operating.	1a. Replace fuse or reset circuit breaker. 1b. Turn off power to unit. Remove Grill and plug motor into receptacle in housing. Restore power to unit. 1c. Turn off power to unit. Check that all wires are connected. 1d. Replace motor.
2. Fan is operating, but air moves slower than normal.	2. Obstruction in the exhaust ducting.	2. Check for any obstructions in the ducting. The most common are bird nests in the roof cap or wall cap where the fan exhausts to the outside.
3. Fan is operating louder than normal.	3a. Motor is loose. 3b. Fan blade is hitting housing of unit.	3a. Turn off power to unit. Remove grill and check that all screws are fully tightened. Restore power to unit. 3b. Call your dealer for service.

LIMITED WARRANTY

All products manufactured by Air King Limited are warranted for one year from the date of purchase against defects in workmanship and/or material. In addition, all ventilating/exhaust fans, heaters, combination fan lights and/or heaters, and range hoods are guaranteed for five years from the date of purchase against defects in workmanship and/or material.

This warranty does not cover any labor or shipping costs or the cost of replacement components as part of routine maintenance such as: range hood grease filters, charcoal filters or combination charcoal/grease filters; replacement light bulbs in range hoods or bathroom fan/light/bulb heater combinations. As well, any damage or failure caused by abuse, misuse, abnormal usage, faulty installation, or improper maintenance will not be covered by this warranty.

In order to make a claim on this warranty, you must be the original consumer of the product. You will be required to present to Air King the original bill of sale showing: date of purchase, place of purchase and model purchased. Failure to meet these requirements will void your warranty.

Air King will not be held responsible for any bodily injury or damages to personal property or real estate whether caused directly or indirectly by the product. Some states and provinces do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages and some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so these exclusions or limitations may not apply to you. This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may have other rights which vary from state to state and province to province.

FOR PARTS OR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Please call: 1-800-465-7300, **MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8 AM AND 4:00 PM EST.**
PLEASE DO NOT RETURN PRODUCT TO PLACE OF PURCHASE.

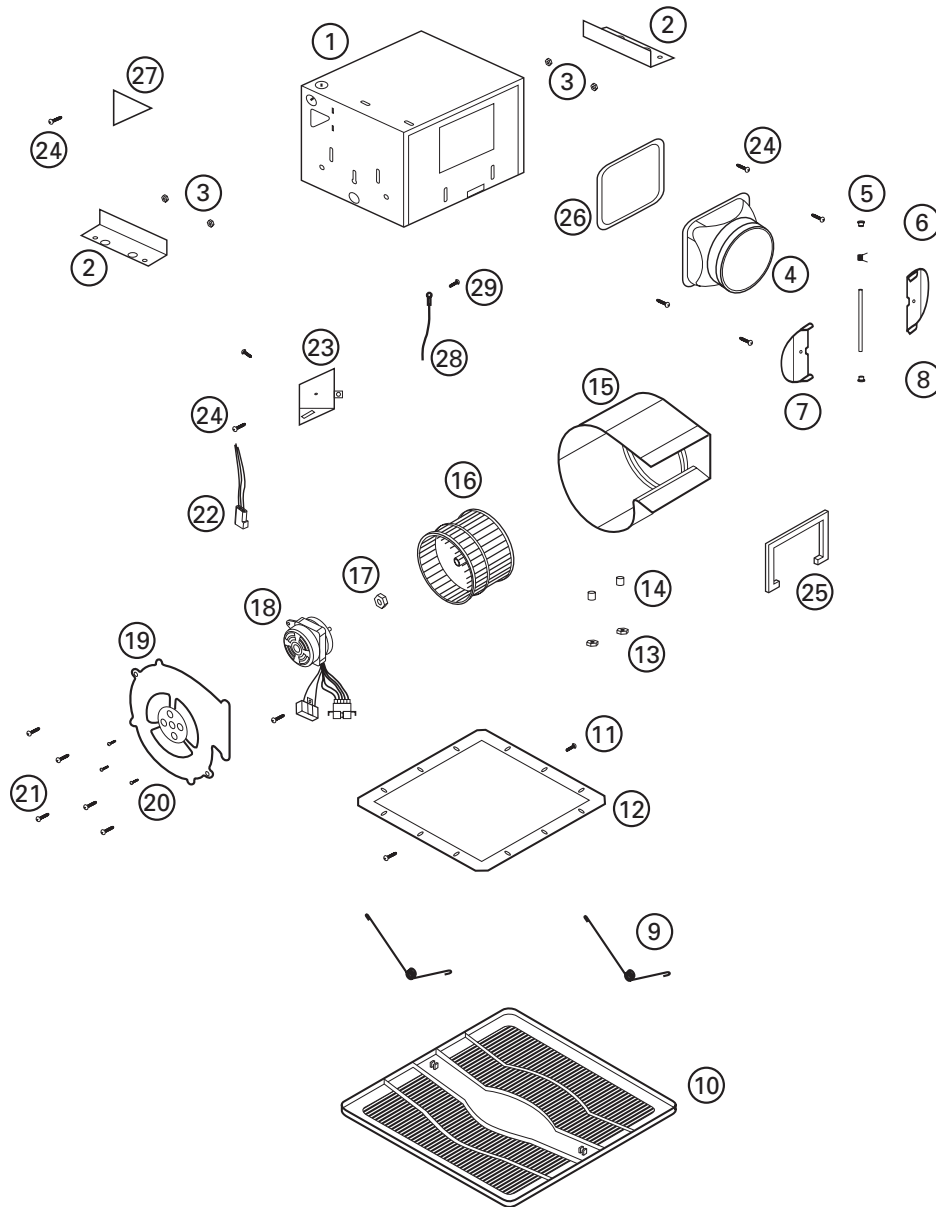
Reference the type and style of product (located on label inside of the product) when you call.

For more information please visit our website: www.airkinglimited.com

Installer: _____ Installation Date: _____

Place of Purchase: _____ Model Number: _____

REPLACEMENT PARTS DIAGRAM



#	Qty.	Description	Replacement Part #
1	1	Fan Housing	5S1202044
2	2	Mounting Bar	5S1202045
3	4	Nuts	5S1202041
4	1	Metal Collar	5S5202007
5	2	Bushing	5S5202003
6	1	Spring	5S5202008
7	2	Damper	5S5202009
8	1	Rod	5S5202010
9	2	Grill Springs	5S1202046
10	1	Grill	5S1202048
11	2	Flange Screw	5S1202049
12	1	Ceiling Flange	5S1202050
13	2	Nuts	5S1202031
14	2	Blower Grommet	5S1202032
15	1	Blower Housing	5S2202022
16	1	Blower Wheel	5S2202023
17	1	Nut	5S2202014

#	Qty.	Description	Replacement Part #
18	1	Motor - AK150LS, AK200LS	5S2202024
	1	Motor - AK300LS	5S2202025
19	1	Motor Plate	5S2202020
20	3	Screw	5S2202027
21	5	Screw	5S2202017
22	1	Motor Cap Harness - AK150LS	5S2202012
	1	Motor Cap Harness - AK200LS	5S2202010
	1	Motor Cap Harness - AK300LS	5S1202051
23	1	Internal Wire Cover - AK150LS, AK200LS	5S1202004
	1	Internal Wire Cover - AK300LS	5S1202052
24	6	Screw	5S1999010
25	1	Outlet Gasket	5S1202053
26	1	Collar Gasket	5S1202054
27	1	External Wire Cover	5S1202007
28	1	14 ga Ground Wire	5S1999003
29	1	#10 Ground Screw	5S1999002